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MY MUMMY TOLD ME THERE'D BE DAYS LIKE THIS!
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TOP DOG
WITH SPECIAL GUEST STAR
HEATHCLIFF
IN THE GREAT MUSEUM MYSTERY!
MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY
PET DAY
WHAT A GREAT IDEA, TOP DOG... PET DAY GIVES US KIDS AND OUR PETS A GREAT CHANCE TO MEET NEW FRIENDS!
WHO DO YOU THINK WROTE THE LETTER SUGGESTING THE IDEA, JOEY?
NOW REMEMBER, HEATHCLIFF, YOU PROMISED...
NO BITING, SCRATCHING, FIGHTING OR HOWLING!
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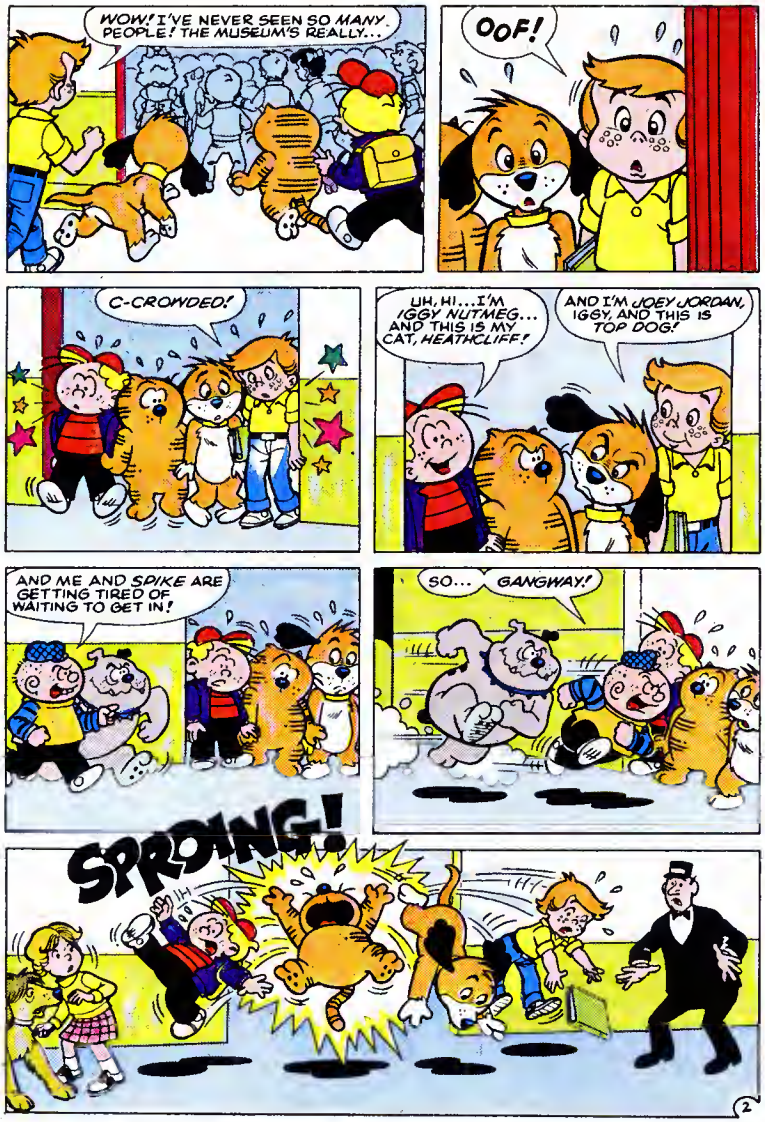
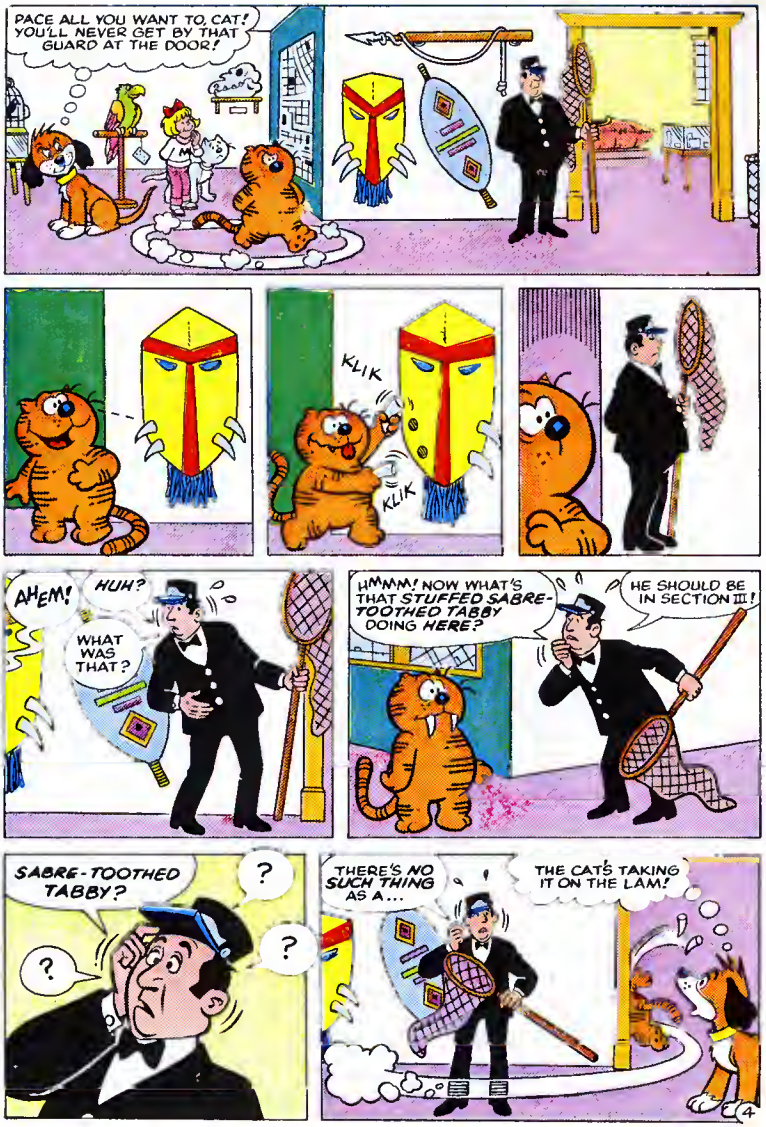

WOW! I'VE NEVER SEEN SO MANY PEOPLE! THE MUSEUM'S REALLY...
OOF!
C-CROWDED!
UH, HI... I'M IGGY NUTMEG... AND THIS IS MY CAT, HEATHCLIFF!
AND I'M JOEY JORDAN, IGGY, AND THIS IS TOP DOG!
AND ME AND SPIKE ARE GETTING TIRED OF WAITING TO GET IN!
SO... GANGWAY!
SPROING!

WOW! TALK ABOUT YOUR DRAMATIC ENTRANCES!
QUIET, TOP DOG! BEFORE SOMEONE FINDS OUT YOU CAN TALK!
THIS WAY TO THE PET AREA, GENTLEMEN!
SO WHAT BRINGS YOU TO THE MUSEUM, IGGY?
I'M DOING A REPORT ON ANCIENT EGYPT FOR A CLASS PROJECT.
HEY, ME TOO! WHY CAN'T WE TEAM UP?
GREAT IDEA, JOEY!
PET AREA
SEA LIFE
GEOLOGY
OUTER SPACE
OOPS!
OH, NO, YOU DON'T!
SEA LIFE
YOU'RE GOING TO THE PET AREA WITH TOP DOG!
SEA LIFE
GEOLOGY
OUTER SPACE
DON'T WORRY, JOEY... I'LL SEE THAT HEATHCLIFF STAYS OUT OF TROUBLE!
THANKS, TOP DOG!
COME ON, IGGY! THE EGYPTIAN SECTION IS THIS WAY!
I ALREADY HAVE MY CAMERA OUT, JOEY!
SPACE


PACE ALL YOU WANT TO, CAT! YOU'LL NEVER GET BY THAT GUARD AT THE DOOR!
KLIK
KLIK
AHEM!
HUH?
WHAT WAS THAT?
HMMM! NOW WHAT'S THAT STUFFED SABRE-TOOTHED TABBY DOING HERE?
HE SHOULD BE IN SECTION III!
SABRE-TOOTHED TABBY?
?
?
?
THERE'S NO SUCH THING AS A...
THE CAT'S TAKING IT ON THE LAM!
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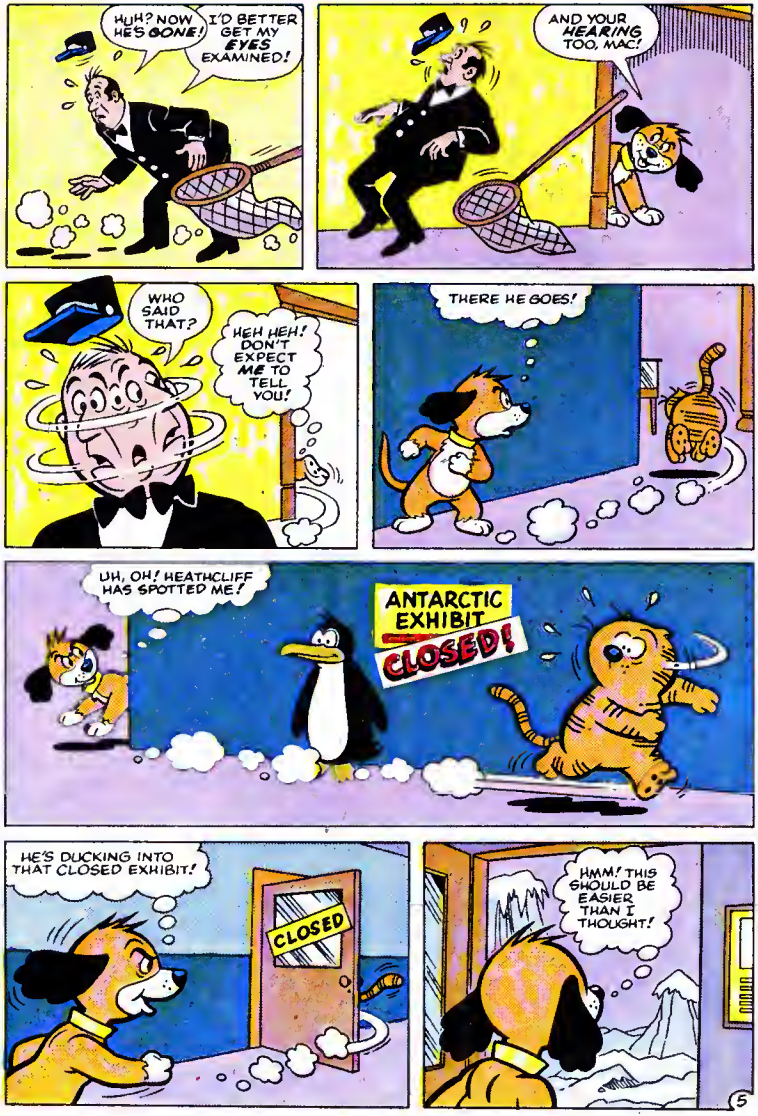
HUH? NOW HE'S GONE! I'D BETTER GET MY EYES EXAMINED!
AND YOUR HEARING TOO, MAC!
WHO SAID THAT?
HEH HEH! DON'T EXPECT ME TO TELL YOU!
THERE HE GOES!
UH, OH! HEATHCLIFF HAS SPOTTED ME!
ANTARCTIC EXHIBIT
CLOSED!
HE'S DUCKING INTO THAT CLOSED EXHIBIT!
CLOSED
HMM! THIS SHOULD BE EASIER THAN I THOUGHT!

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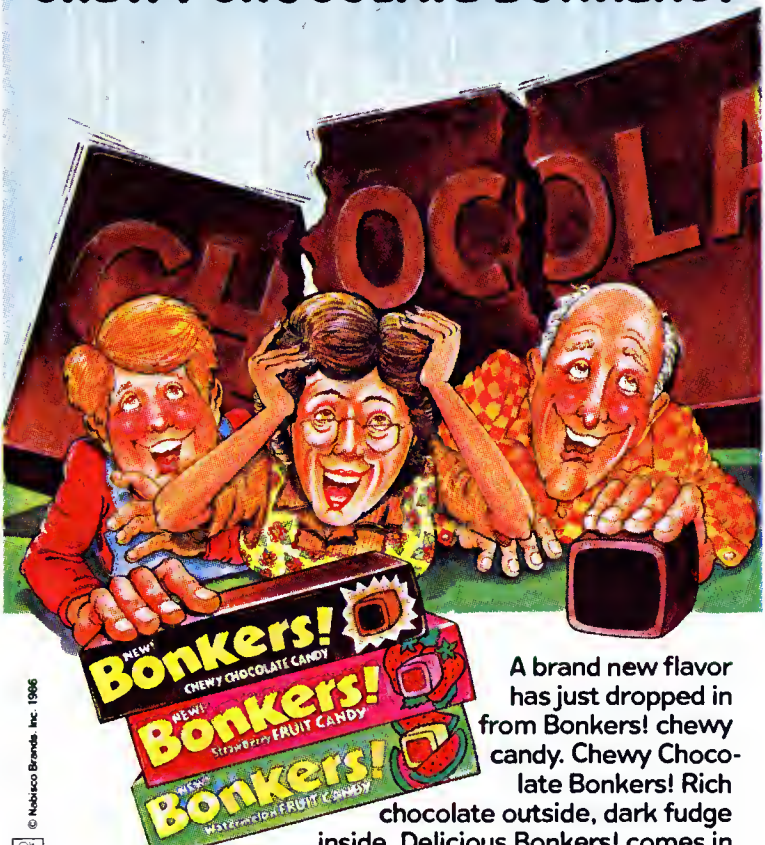

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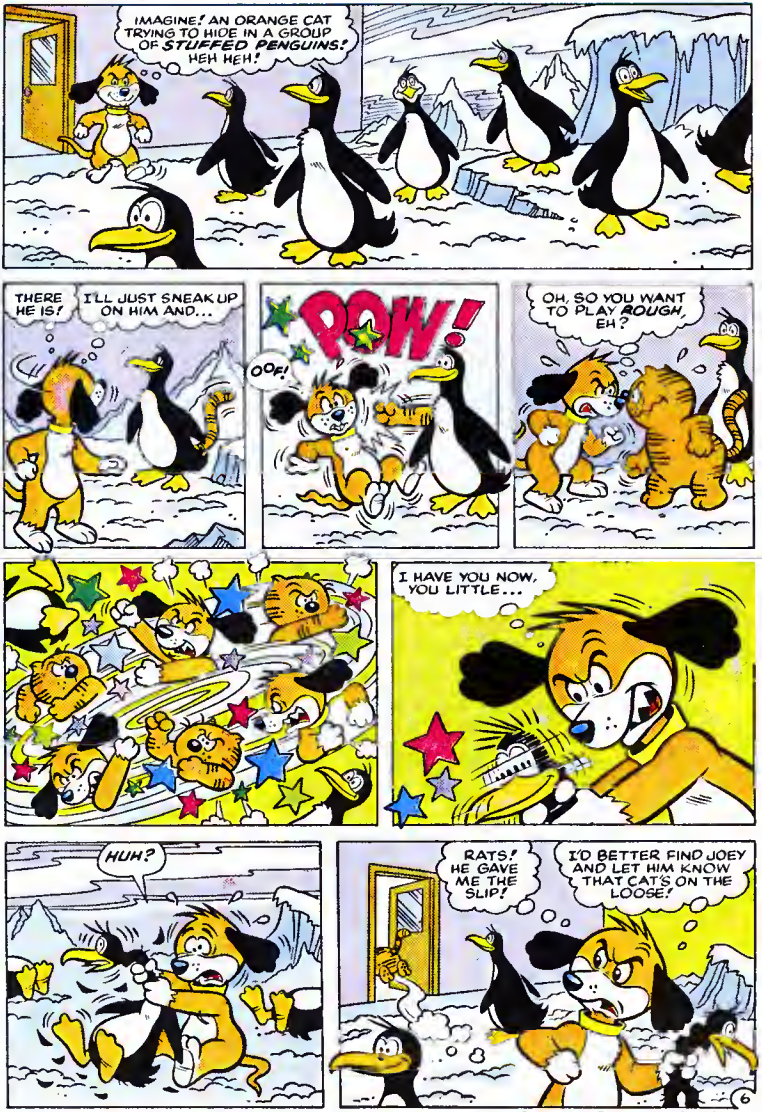
IMAGINE! AN ORANGE CAT TRYING TO HIDE IN A GROUP OF STUFFED PENGUINS! HEH HEH!
THERE HE IS!
I'LL JUST SNEAK UP ON HIM AND...
POW!
OOF!
OH, SO YOU WANT TO PLAY ROUGH, EH?
I HAVE YOU NOW, YOU LITTLE...
HUH?
RATS! HE GAVE ME THE SLIP!
I'D BETTER FIND JOEY AND LET HIM KNOW THAT CAT'S ON THE LOOSE!
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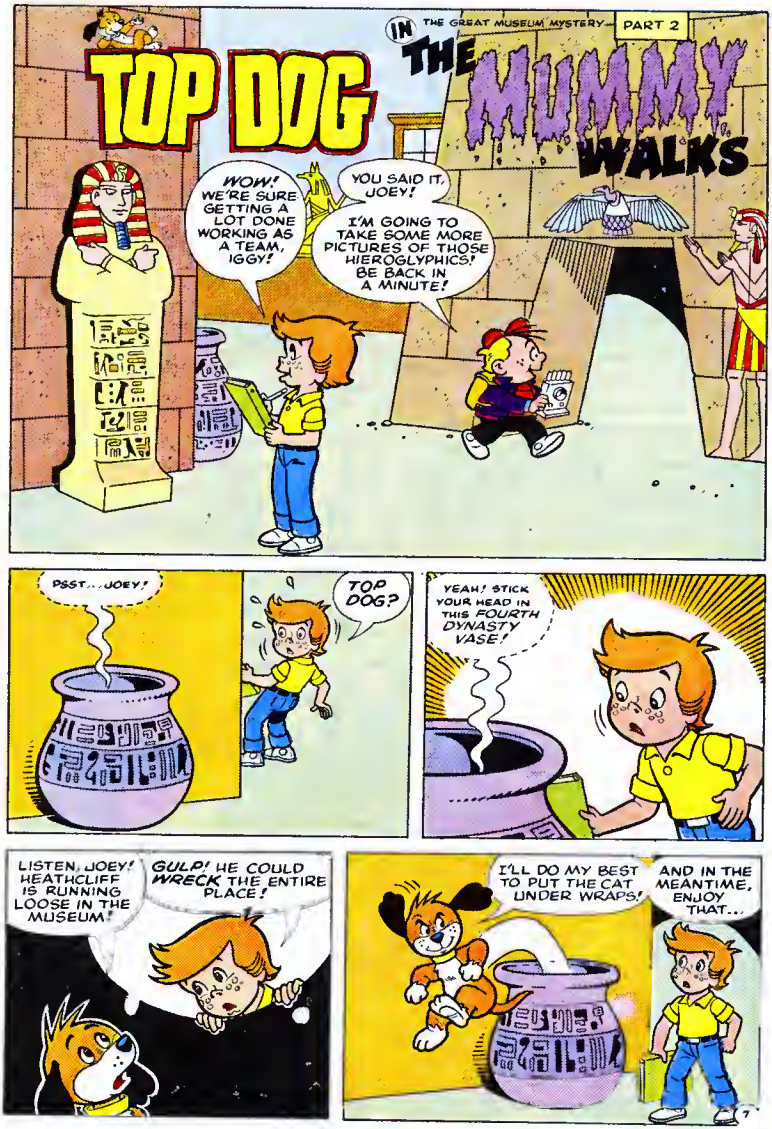
TOP DOG
IN THE GREAT MUSEUM MYSTERY— PART 2
THE MUMMY WALKS
WOW! WE'RE SURE GETTING A LOT DONE WORKING AS A TEAM, IGGY!
YOU SAID IT, JOEY!
I'M GOING TO TAKE SOME MORE PICTURES OF THOSE HIEROGLYPHICS! BE BACK IN A MINUTE!
PSST... JOEY!
TOP DOG?
YEAH! STICK YOUR HEAD IN THIS FOURTH DYNASTY VASE!
LISTEN, JOEY! HEATHCLIFF IS RUNNING LOOSE IN THE MUSEUM!
GULP! HE COULD WRECK THE ENTIRE PLACE!
I'LL DO MY BEST TO PUT THE CAT UNDER WRAPS!
AND IN THE MEANTIME, ENJOY THAT...

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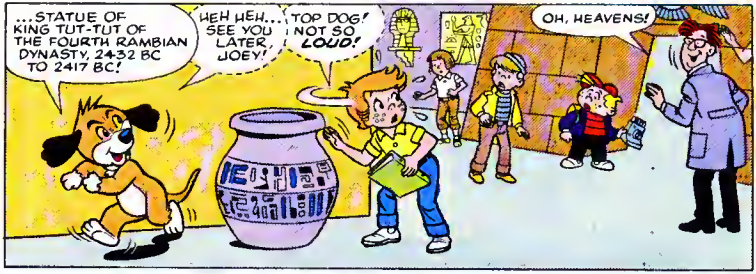
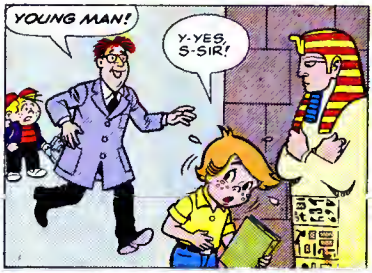
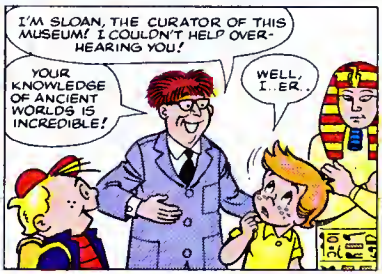
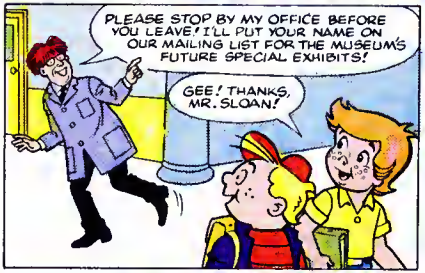
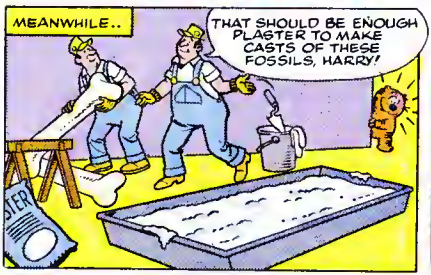

...STATUE OF KING TUT-TUT OF THE FOURTH RAMBIAN DYNASTY, 2432 BC TO 2417 BC!
HEH HEH... SEE YOU LATER, JOEY!
TOP DOG! NOT SO LOUD!
OH, HEAVENS!


YOUNG MAN!
Y-YES, S-SIR!


I'M SLOAN, THE CURATOR OF THIS MUSEUM! I COULDN'T HELP OVER-HEARING YOU!
YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF ANCIENT WORLDS IS INCREDIBLE!
WELL, I..ER..


PLEASE STOP BY MY OFFICE BEFORE YOU LEAVE! I'LL PUT YOUR NAME ON OUR MAILING LIST FOR THE MUSEUM'S FUTURE SPECIAL EXHIBITS!
GEE! THANKS, MR. SLOAN!

GEE! HOW'D YOU LEARN SO MUCH ABOUT ANCIENT WORLDS, JOEY?
OH, YOU MIGHT SAY I'M A GOOD LISTENER, IGGY!


MEANWHILE..
THAT SHOULD BE ENOUGH PLASTER TO MAKE CASTS OF THESE FOSSILS, HARRY!

WHAT TH..
SPLOOP!
SPLOOP
SPLOOP
SPLO

Newtons Fruit Chewy Mix-Up!

Unscramble the letters on the left and fill in the Fruit Chewy Newtons flavors on the right!

HINT: there are two new flavors!

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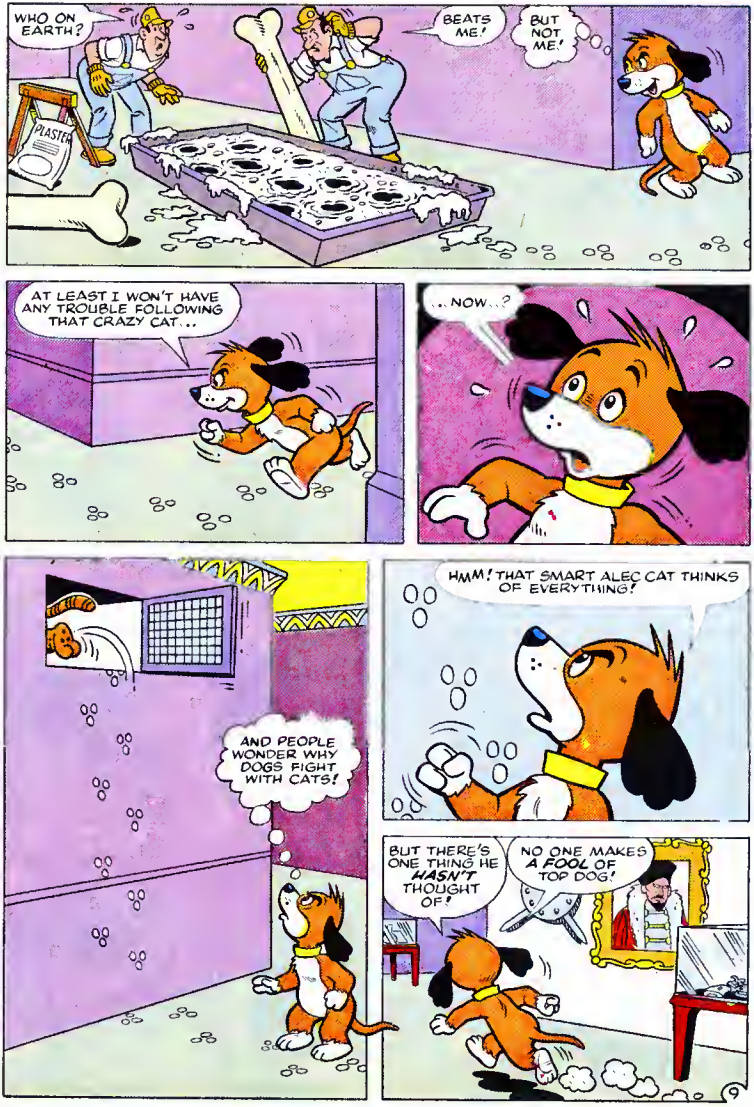
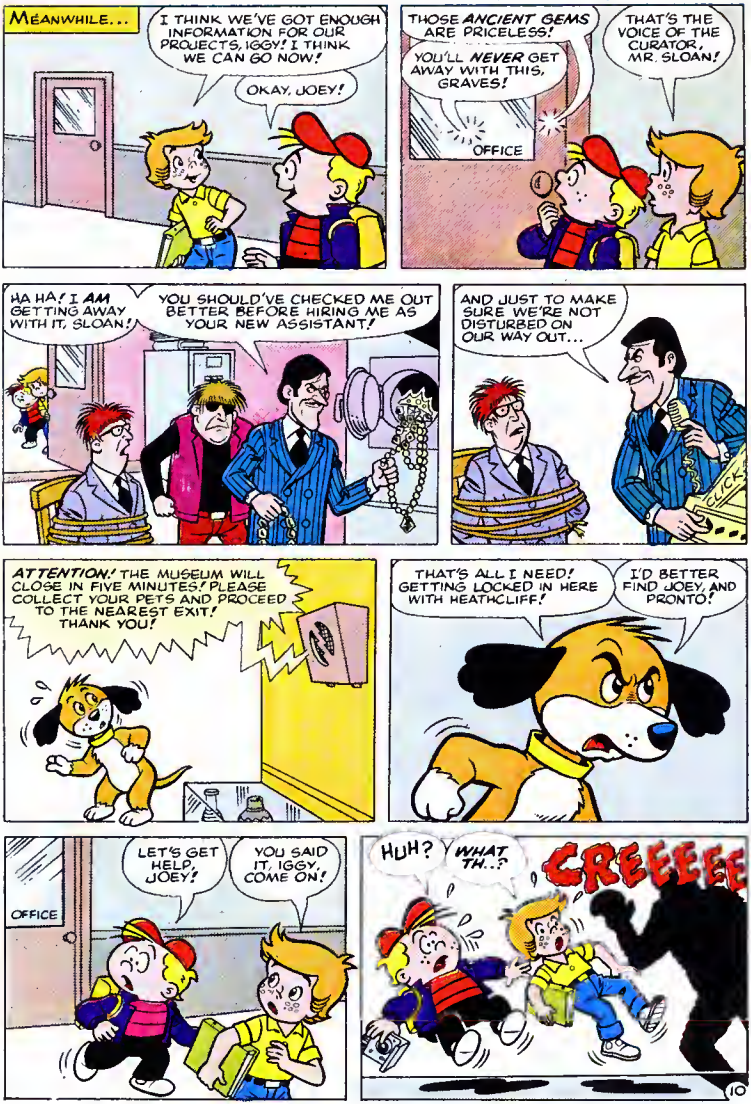
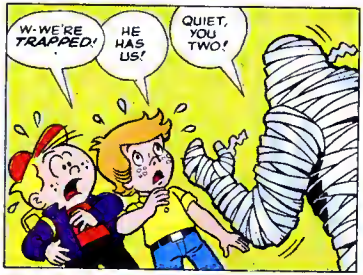
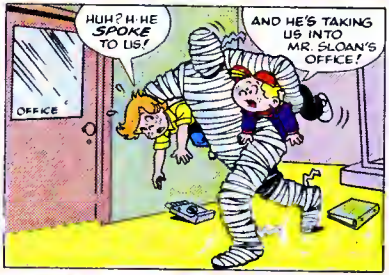
ANSWERS: FIG, APPLE, CHERRY, BLUEBERRY

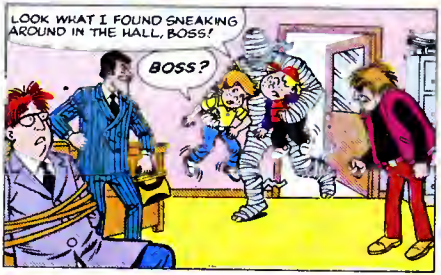

WHO ON EARTH?
PLASTER
BEATS ME!
BUT NOT ME!
AT LEAST I WON'T HAVE ANY TROUBLE FOLLOWING THAT CRAZY CAT...
...NOW...?
AND PEOPLE WONDER WHY DOGS FIGHT WITH CATS!
HMM! THAT SMART ALEC CAT THINKS OF EVERYTHING!
BUT THERE'S ONE THING HE HASN'T THOUGHT OF!
NO ONE MAKES A FOOL OF TOP DOG!

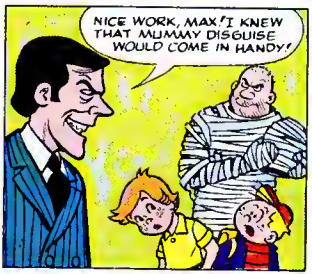

MEANWHILE...
I THINK WE'VE GOT ENOUGH INFORMATION FOR OUR PROJECTS, IGGY! I THINK WE CAN GO NOW!
OKAY, JOEY!
THOSE ANCIENT GEMS ARE PRICELESS!
YOU'LL NEVER GET AWAY WITH THIS, GRAVES!
OFFICE
THAT'S THE VOICE OF THE CURATOR, MR. SLOAN!
HA HA! I AM GETTING AWAY WITH IT, SLOAN!
YOU SHOULD'VE CHECKED ME OUT BETTER BEFORE HIRING ME AS YOUR NEW ASSISTANT!
AND JUST TO MAKE SURE WE'RE NOT DISTURBED ON OUR WAY OUT...
CLICK
ATTENTION! THE MUSEUM WILL CLOSE IN FIVE MINUTES! PLEASE COLLECT YOUR PETS AND PROCEED TO THE NEAREST EXIT! THANK YOU!
THAT'S ALL I NEED! GETTING LOCKED IN HERE WITH HEATHCLIFF!
I'D BETTER FIND JOEY, AND PRONTO!
OFFICE
LET'S GET HELP, JOEY!
YOU SAID IT, IGGY. COME ON!
HUH?
WHAT TH...?
CREEEEE

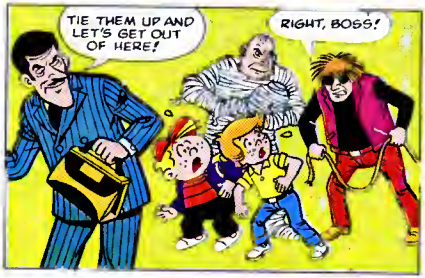
IT'S A M-MUMMY!
AND IT'S ALIVE!
ARRRRGHH
OFFICE


W-WE'RE TRAPPED!
HE HAS US!
QUIET, YOU TWO!


HUH? H-HE SPOKE TO US!
AND HE'S TAKING US INTO MR. SLOAN'S OFFICE!
OFFICE


LOOK WHAT I FOUND SNEAKING AROUND IN THE HALL, BOSS!
BOSS?

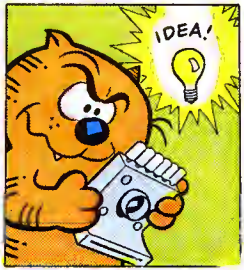

NICE WORK, MAX! I KNEW THAT MUMMY DISGUISE WOULD COME IN HANDY!


TIE THEM UP AND LET'S GET OUT OF HERE!
RIGHT, BOSS!

? ? ?
FICE

THAT'S IT! TIE 'EM UP GOOD AND TIGHT!
OUCH!
OFFICE

LET'S GO, BOYS!
NOTHING CAN STOP US FROM GETTING AWAY WITH THESE RARE JEWELS!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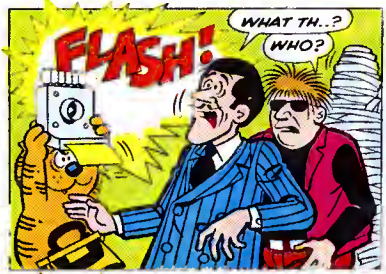
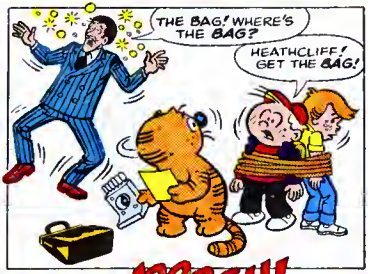
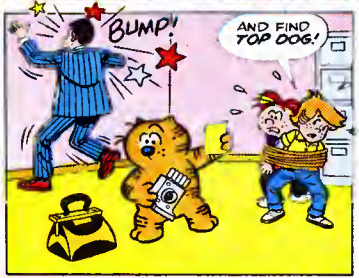
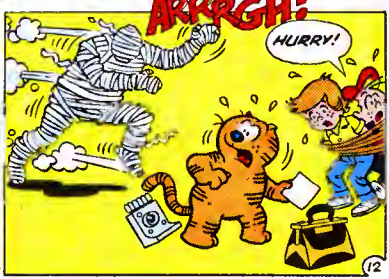
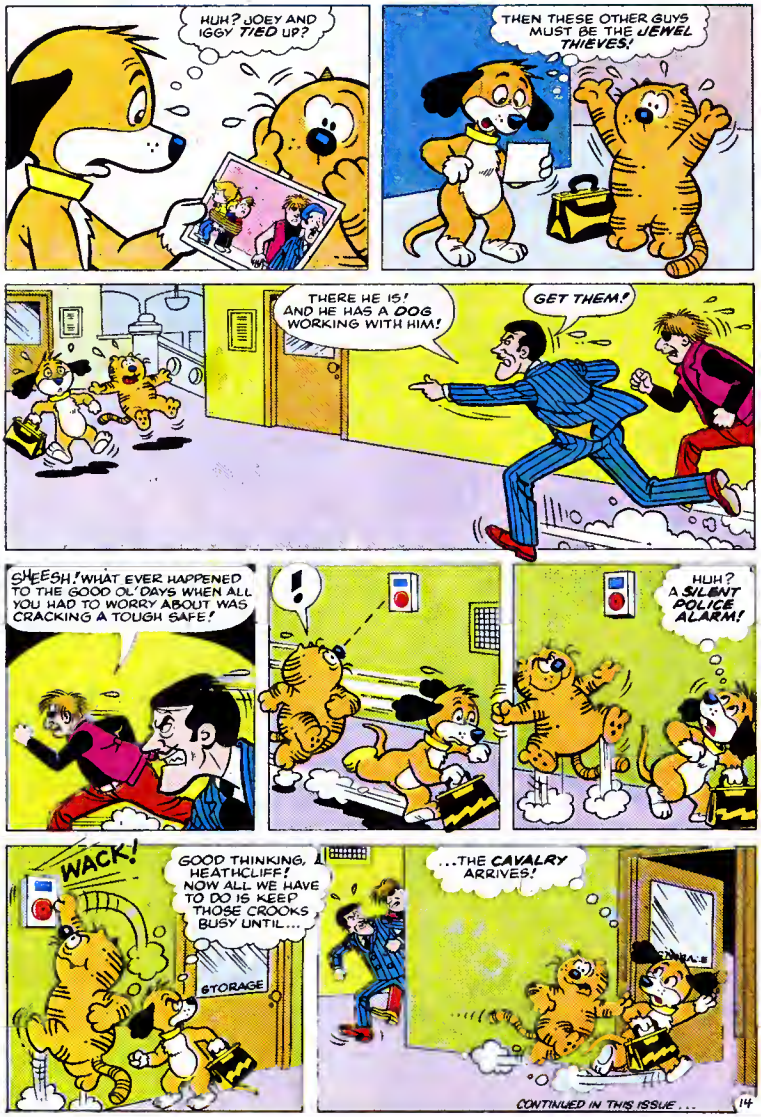

FLASH!
WHAT TH..?
WHO?


THE BAG! WHERE'S THE BAG?
HEATHCLIFF! GET THE BAG!


BUMP!
AND FIND TOP DOG!


ARRRGH!
HURRY!

WHA..?
HUH?
ZIP!
GET THAT CAT!
OFFICE
FIND TOP DOG!
WAP WAP WAP WAP WAP
HUH? EITHER THAT'S THE SOUND OF A RUNNING CAT, OR...
WAP!
OOF!
NOW I HAVE YOU!
AND NOW I FIND THAT YOU'RE A JEWEL THIEF TO BOOT!
HUH?
HE'S TRYING TO TELL ME SOMETHING!
A MUMMY! HEATHCLIFF'S BEEN WATCHING TOO MANY HORROR MOVIES!
WHAT'S THIS?


HUH? JOEY AND IGGY TIED UP?
THEN THESE OTHER GUYS MUST BE THE JEWEL THIEVES!
THERE HE IS! AND HE HAS A DOG WORKING WITH HIM!
GET THEM!
SHEESH! WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO THE GOOD OL' DAYS WHEN ALL YOU HAD TO WORRY ABOUT WAS CRACKING A TOUGH SAFE!
!
HUH? A SILENT POLICE ALARM!
WACK!
GOOD THINKING, HEATHCLIFF! NOW ALL WE HAVE TO DO IS KEEP THOSE CROOKS BUSY UNTIL...
STORAGE
...THE CAVALRY ARRIVES!
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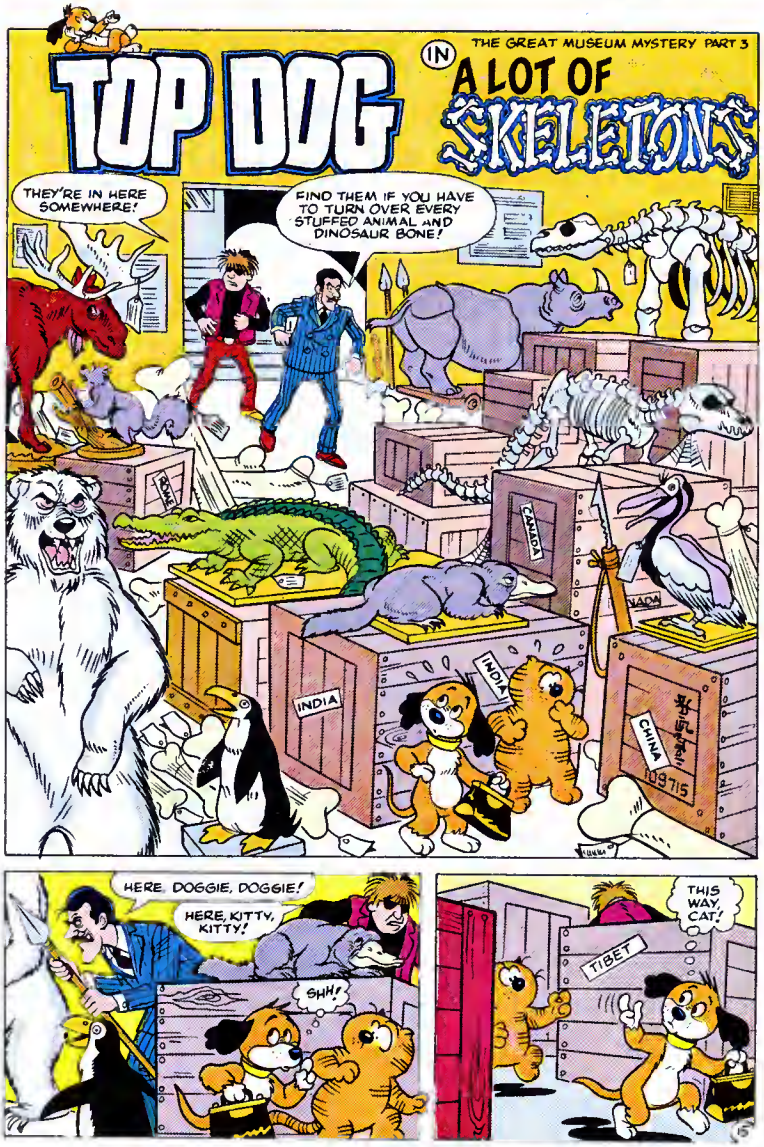
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THE GREAT MUSEUM MYSTERY PART 3
IN A LOT OF SKELETONS
THEY'RE IN HERE SOMEWHERE!
FIND THEM IF YOU HAVE TO TURN OVER EVERY STUFFED ANIMAL AND DINOSAUR BONE!
BONES
CANADA
NADA
INDIA
INDIA
CHINA
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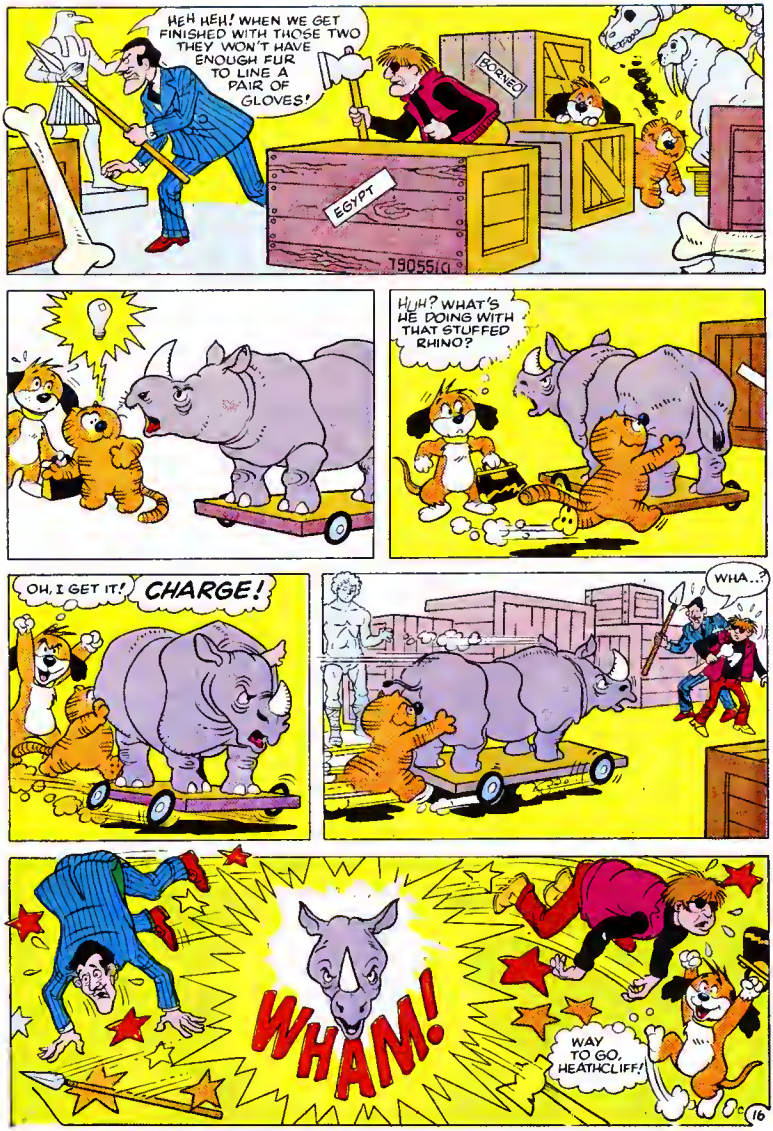
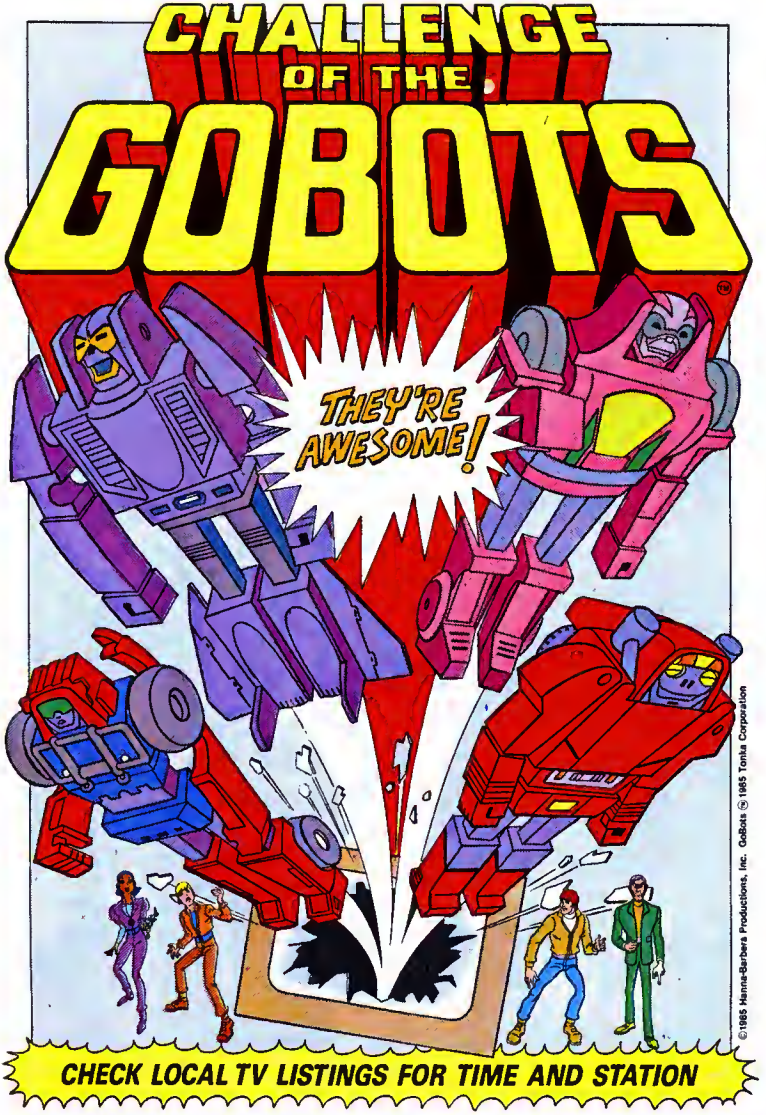
HERE, DOGGIE, DOGGIE!
HERE, KITTY, KITTY!
SHH!
TIBET
THIS WAY, CAT!


HEH HEH! WHEN WE GET FINISHED WITH THOSE TWO THEY WON'T HAVE ENOUGH FUR TO LINE A PAIR OF GLOVES!
BORNEO
EGYPT
19055(c)
HUH? WHAT'S HE DOING WITH THAT STUFFED RHINO?
OH, I GET IT! CHARGE!
WHA..?
WHAM!
WAY TO GO, HEATHCLIFF!


CHALLENGE
OF THE
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THEY'RE AWESOME!
CHECK LOCAL TV LISTINGS FOR TIME AND STATION
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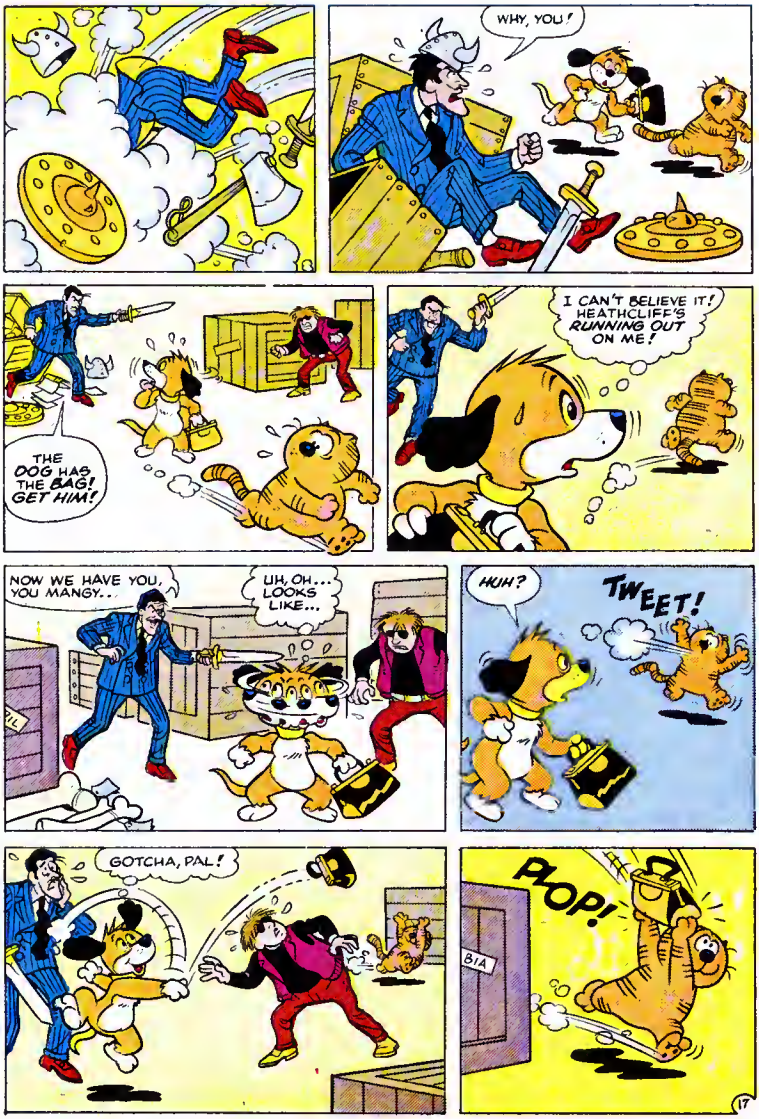
WHY, YOU!
THE DOG HAS THE BAG! GET HIM!
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! HEATHCLIFF'S RUNNING OUT ON ME!
NOW WE HAVE YOU, YOU MANGY...
UH, OH... LOOKS LIKE...
HUH?
TWEET!
GOTCHA, PAL!
PLOP!

POWER PACK

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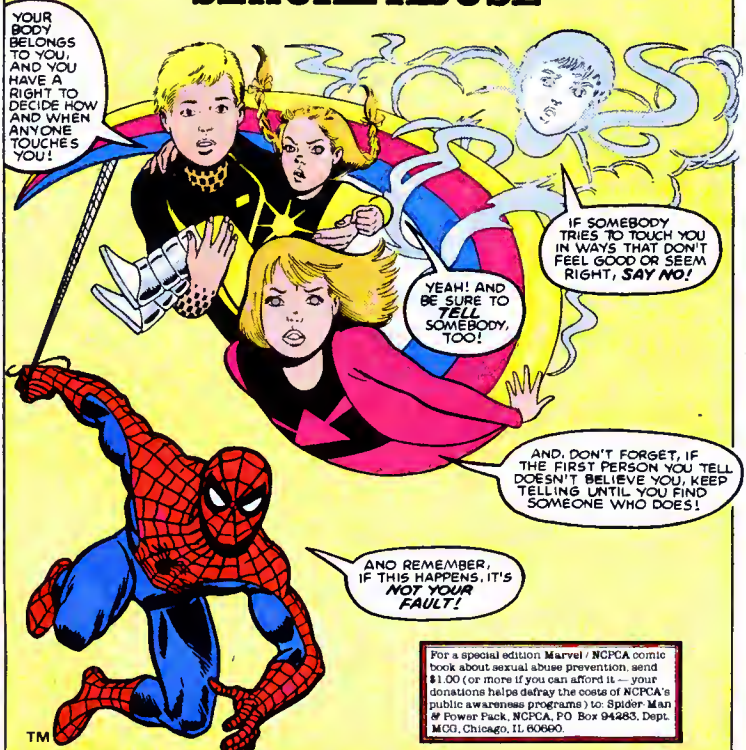
YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU, AND YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO DECIDE HOW AND WHEN ANYONE TOUCHES YOU!
YEAH! AND BE SURE TO *TELL* SOMEBODY, TOO!
IF SOMEBODY TRIES TO TOUCH YOU IN WAYS THAT DON'T FEEL GOOD OR SEEM RIGHT, *SAY NO!*
AND, DON'T FORGET, IF THE FIRST PERSON YOU TELL DOESN'T BELIEVE YOU, KEEP TELLING UNTIL YOU FIND SOMEONE WHO DOES!
AND REMEMBER, IF THIS HAPPENS, IT'S *NOT YOUR FAULT!*

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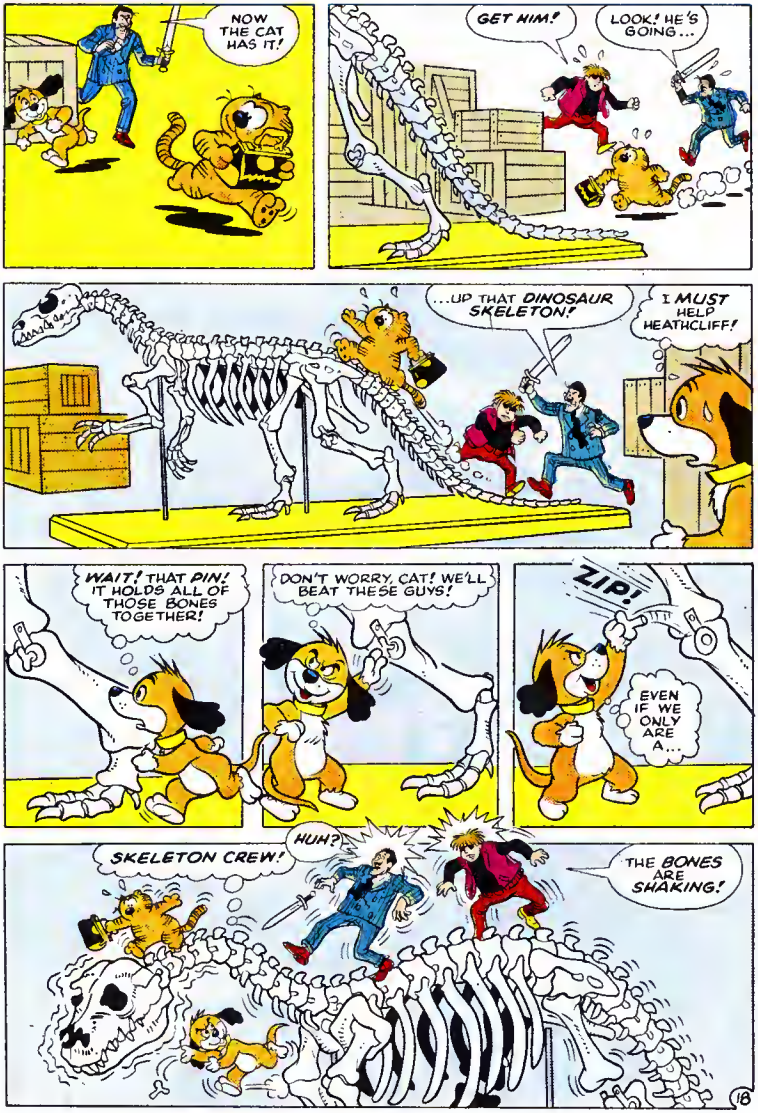
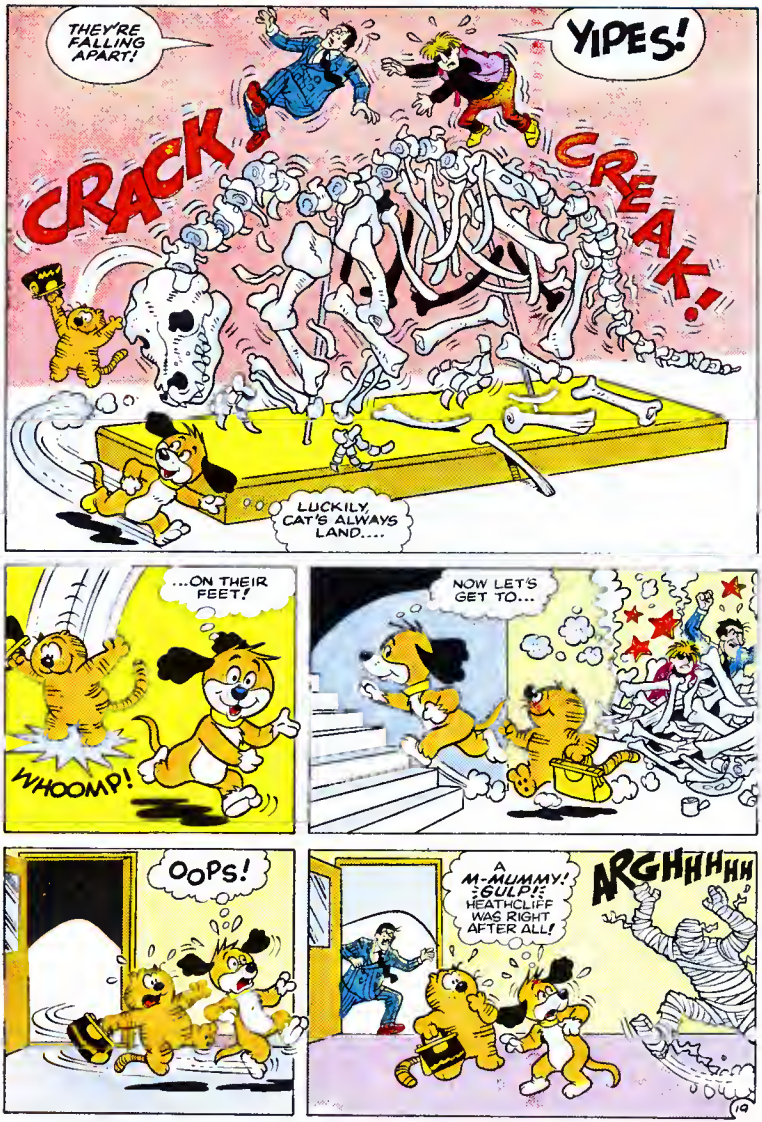

NOW THE CAT HAS IT!
GET HIM!
LOOK! HE'S GOING...
...UP THAT DINOSAUR SKELETON!
I MUST HELP HEATHCLIFF!
WAIT! THAT PIN! IT HOLDS ALL OF THOSE BONES TOGETHER!
DON'T WORRY, CAT! WE'LL BEAT THESE GUYS!
ZIP!
EVEN IF WE ONLY ARE A...
SKELETON CREW!
HUH?
THE BONES ARE SHAKING!


THEY'RE FALLING APART!
YIPES!
CRACK!
CREAK!
LUCKILY, CAT'S ALWAYS LAND....
...ON THEIR FEET!
WHOOMP!
NOW LET'S GET TO...
OOPS!
A M-MUMMY! GULP! HEATHCLIFF WAS RIGHT AFTER ALL!
ARGHHHHH

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PLEASE NOTE THAT EACH CLASSIC IS 64 PAGES

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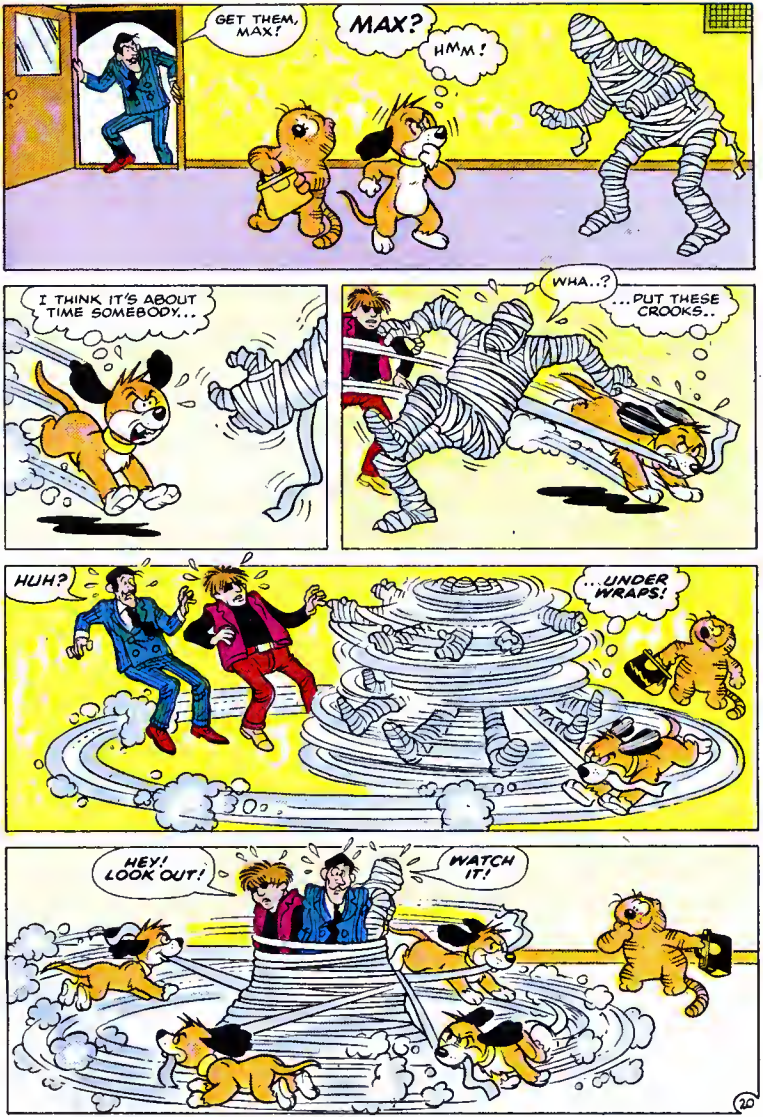
GET THEM, MAX!
MAX?
HMM!
I THINK IT'S ABOUT TIME SOMEBODY...
WHA..?
...PUT THESE CROOKS..
HUH?
...UNDER WRAPS!
HEY! LOOK OUT!
WATCH IT!

STAR SIGNALS

Do you really reed your STAR COMICS, or do you just look at the pictures?

Reading has always been pretty important to me. I've enjoyed it tor as long as I can remember. When I was e kid, you could usually find e paperback stuffed into the back pocket ot my jeans. (Now that I'm an edult, you have to look inside my briefcase!)

I guess I'm what you might call a Book Person. I barely tinish one book, and I start on the next. I used to haunt the local library every Saturday to see what new books were available. (I still try to visit my library once a week, but I don't only go on Saturdays anymore.) Of course, I also read magazines, newspapers, and more comic books than you could ever imagine!

My tavorite book authors used to be Franklin W. Dixon (THE HARDY BOYS), Walter Farley (THE BLACK STALLION), and Edgar Rice Burroughs (TARZAN). They helped transport me to distant lands, and took me on some pretty wild adventures!

I always figured that we readers had a real advantage over non-readers. We get to use our imaginations more than they do. We also have e whole lot more fun!

Maybe it's time we helped those non-readers along! We owe it to them to show them what they're missing.

Here are a tew ways you can help:

1) Talk about the books and comics you've read with your friends.
2) Tell them *why* you read a particular book or comic.
3) Tell them what you liked about it!
4) Suggest a few books and comics that they might enjoy reading.
5) Lend them some ot your books and comics to read.
6) Encourage them to join you on your next trip to the library, or the store where you buy your comics.

Who knows? Some ot your friends might decide that they enjoy reading, too. You couldn't do them e nicer favor!

Let me know if you have any luck.

Thanks tor being there,

Tom D.

Tom DeFalco, S.T.A.R. Executive Editor

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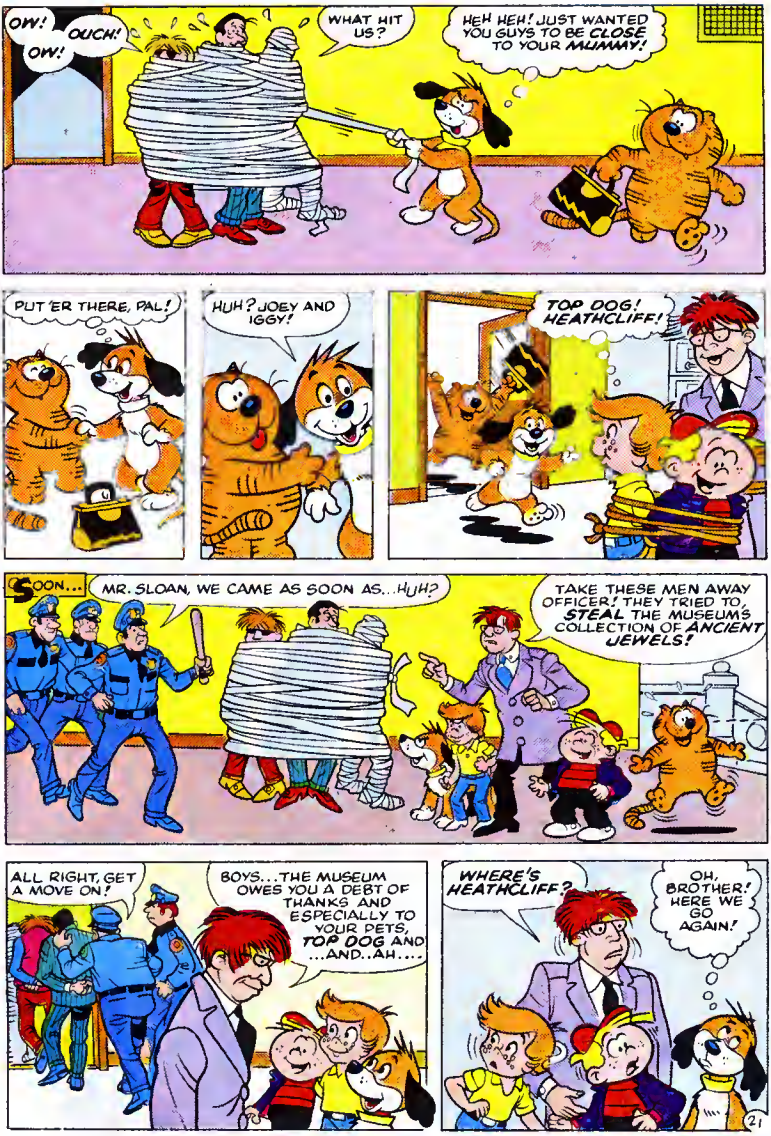
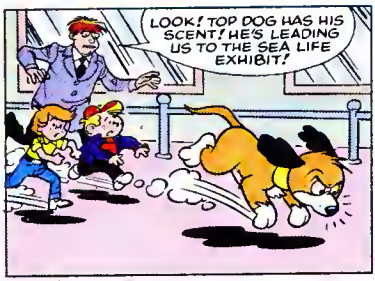

OW!
OUCH!
OW!
WHAT HIT US?
HEH HEH! JUST WANTED YOU GUYS TO BE CLOSE TO YOUR MUMMY!
PUT 'ER THERE, PAL!
HUH? JOEY AND IGGY!
TOP DOG! HEATHCLIFF!
SOON...
MR. SLOAN, WE CAME AS SOON AS...HUH?
TAKE THESE MEN AWAY OFFICER! THEY TRIED TO STEAL THE MUSEUMS COLLECTION OF ANCIENT JEWELS!
ALL RIGHT, GET A MOVE ON!
BOYS...THE MUSEUM OWES YOU A DEBT OF THANKS AND ESPECIALLY TO YOUR PETS, TOP DOG AND ...AND..AH....
WHERE'S HEATHCLIFF?
OH, BROTHER! HERE WE GO AGAIN!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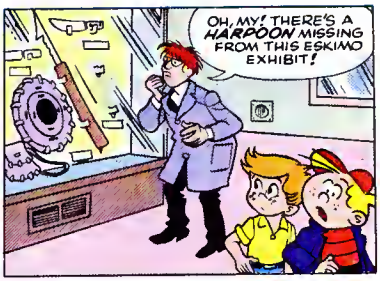
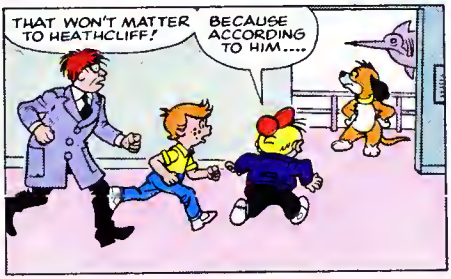
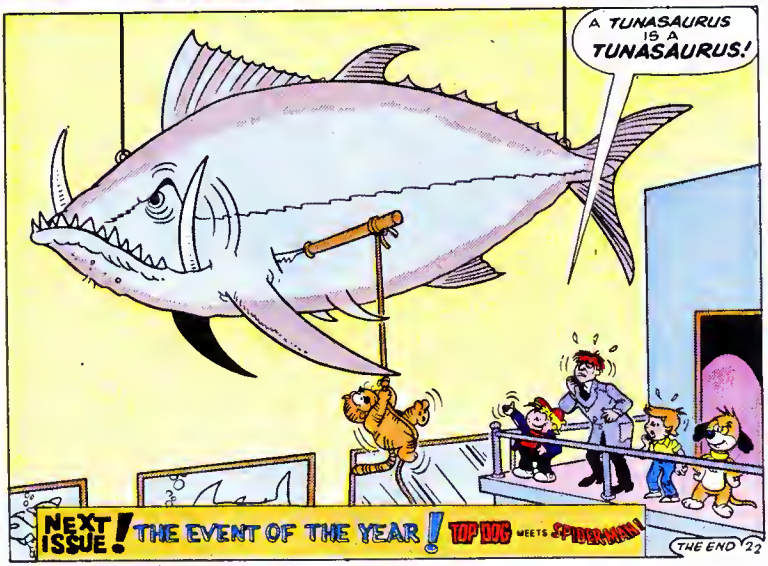

OH, MY! THERE'S A HARPOON MISSING FROM THIS ESKIMO EXHIBIT!

IGGY...WHY WOULD HEATHCLIFF WANT A HARPOON?
ALL THE FISH IN THAT EXHIBIT ARE MADE OF PLASTER!


THAT WON'T MATTER TO HEATHCLIFF!
BECAUSE ACCORDING TO HIM....


A TUNASAURUS IS A TUNASAURUS!
NEXT ISSUE! THE EVENT OF THE YEAR! TOP DOG MEETS SPIDER-MAN!
THE END

SID JACOBSON
EDITOR

TOP DOG SPEAKS OUT

NANCY BROWN
ASSISTANT EDITOR

It isn't often that a dog gets a chance to speak his mind—knowing the minds of some of the dogs I've met, believe me, that's a blessing. In any case, I'd like to take this opportunity to tell all of you out there in Fan Land (Fan Land, that's due east of Finland or due south of the Funland Amusement Park) about several very important coming attractions.

After finishing this month's special issue, featuring my new pal Heathcliff, you'd better prepare yourself for an even more spectacular event. Are you sitting down, my friends? I mean, really sitting down?

Well, next issue, on these very pages you are going to be present at an adventure that you will not want to miss! My special guest and cohort in adventure will be the web-slinging wall-crawler himself! He of the red and blue costume and the hysterical histrionics—the amazing SPIDER-MAN!

And I promise you this—it is one fabulous adventure, involving robbery, arson, a boy's dreams, a young man's heroism and a dog's (sheml) very special courage! It that seems to promise too much, just look for "The Comic Book Caper" in Top Dog #10! This special Top Dog-Spider-Man team-up goes on sale July 15th! Better be there!

You should also be on the lookout for my pal Heathcliff's upcoming adventure starring those two slick members of the vice squad—the VICE MICE! That's in Heathcliff #11, going on sale on July 1st! It's the take-off of the summer! A joyful jet ride into jocularity! (My, can that dog use the language!)

One more thing, and I'll be on my way. Why don't you write us here and let us know what you think of the Secret Life of TDP DOG! It's hard to believe, but I get almost as much joy from listening as I do from talking. And you might even get an answer from a ca-nine who's a ca-ten!

(Okay, Joey Jordan, I'm going to shut up and get back on all fours!)

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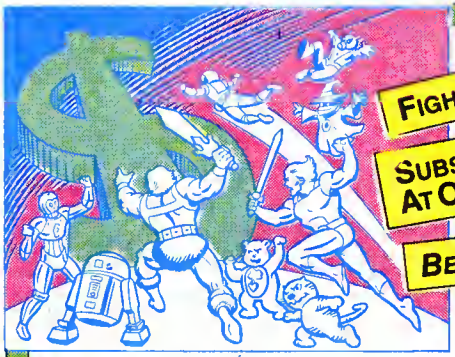

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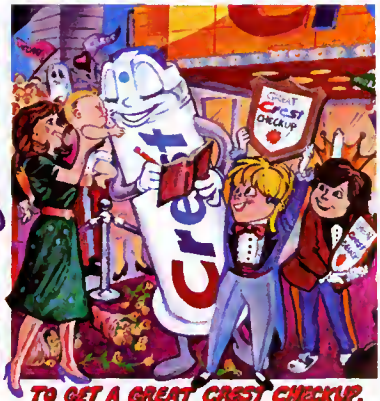

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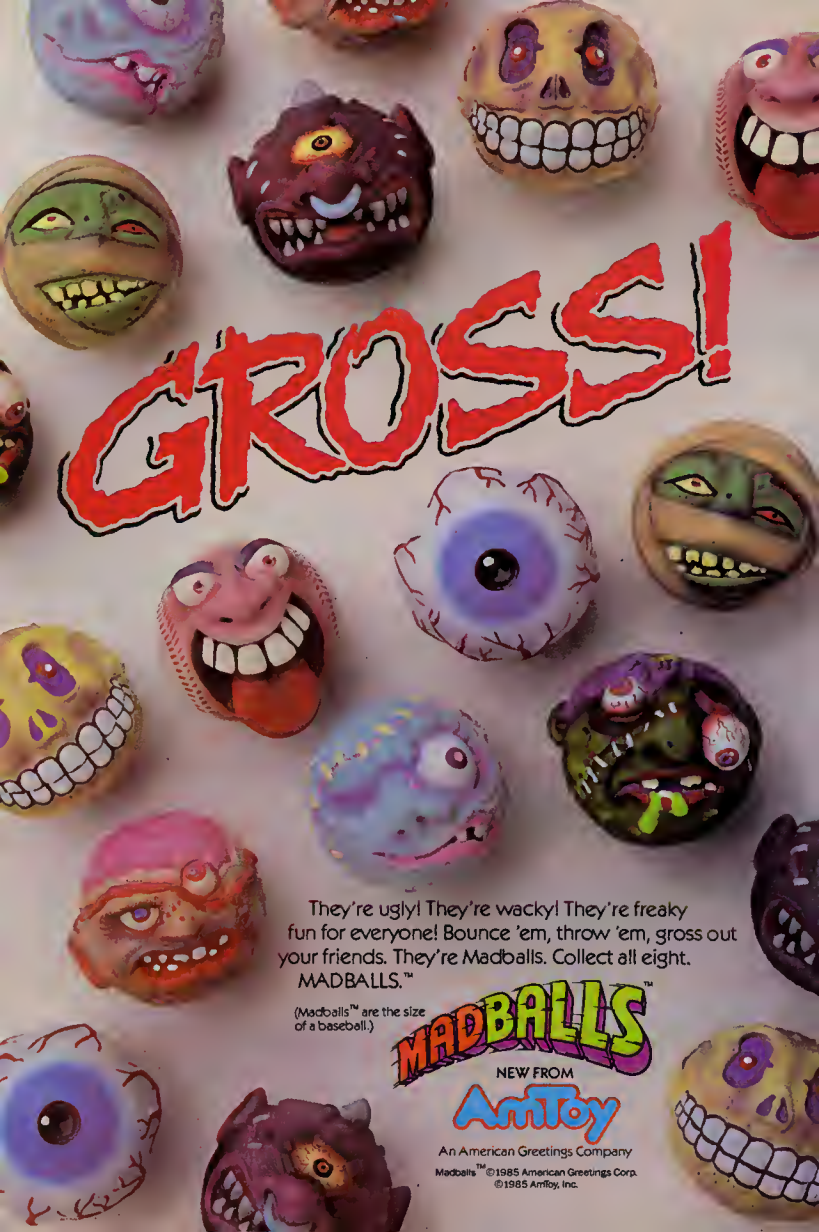
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